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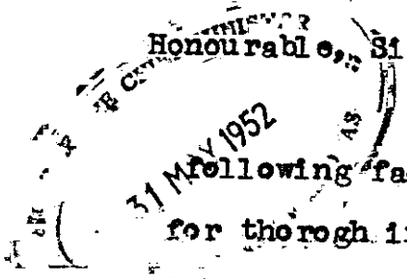
To

Sri, C. Rajagopal Achar

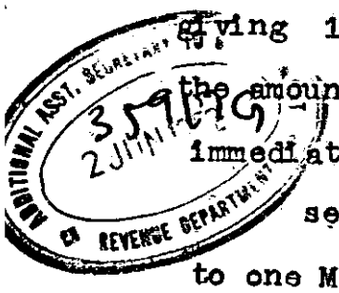
Chief Minister Govt Of Madras



Honourable, Sir,

I most humbly beg to place before you the following facts for Ordering the Special C. I. D, Branch for thorogh investigation after immediately transfering the Tahsildar of Adoni (Sri Ananthasayanam Nayudu).

Thasildar has paid Rs 5000/- to one Mr Kraista Reddy of Basarkodu for Bunding and other purposes, whereas after giving 10 percent commission to the Tahsildar he has misused the amount and he has not improved his field bund Etc., pray immediate investigation.



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third, Tahsildar has paid Rs 5000/- to one Mr Danappa of Kathriki village Adoni taluk for repairing a single well, where there is no justification. Thasildar has received his usual 10 percent commission. Pray personal Order of inspection.

Fourth, Misuse of 20 bags of rice received from Burma for distribution to the Lame and blind (As gift rice). Thasildar has unloaded rice bags in his house situated on the yemmiganur Road. He has misused Rs 800/- 120/- and Rs 3000/- election expenses by preparing false bills of payment.

Thasildar has got 20 heads of cattle now stationed at Banavasi village and maintained by the Reddy of the village. Pray action. Previously Cattle heads were maintained by One Krosta reddy reddy. PRAY IMMEDIATE TRANSFER AND ORDERING INVESTIGATION BY SPECIAL BRANCH OR THE PRESENT WILL GO CURRPT AND WILL GIVE ROOM FOR NUMBER OF QUESTIONS IN THE ASSEMBLY FLOOR.

Copy of petition from Sri L. Venkanna petition dated 30-5-52 addressed to Sri C. Rajagopal Achar, Chief Minister, Government of Madras.

I most humbly beg to place before you the following facts for Ordering the Special C.I.D. Branch for thorough investigation after immediately transfering the Tahsildar of Adoni (Sri Ananthasayanam Nayudu). Tahsildar has paid Rs.5000/- to one Mr. Kraista Reddy of Basarkodu for Bunding and other purposes, whereas after giving 10 percent commission to the Tahsildar he has misused the amount and he has not improved his field bund Etc. pray immediate investigation.

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FIDENTIAL. Revenue Depar

.No. 35917 Ry/ dated -9-6-52

Public Servants (Bellary) – Sri. Anantanarayanam Nayudu – Tahsildar, Adoni – Allegations

P & C – Ref: From Sri L. Venkanna petition of 30.5.52

I am to invite attention to the petition cited and to request you to report, after making such discreet enquiries as may be deemed fit, without informing anybody else about the petition or the purpose for which the information is required —

(i) whether there is any truth in the allegations made in the petition;

(ii) whether there was any occasion previously to suspect the integrity of the officer/~~officers~~ concerned, and

(iii) whether in your opinion an enquiry into the allegations by the X-Branch, C.I.D. is necessary.

The personal file of the officer/~~officers~~ concerned may also be sent to Government for perusal and return. The reply should be sent to Government direct with a copy thereof to the Board of Revenue.

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To Sri. D. R. Sundaram IAS.
Collector of Bellary

S. 7.6.52
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Petition regarding Estate duty case of late Sardar Ajit Singh submitted for ongoing listed reply regd.

To AS

Please see the telegram on the reverse. It refers to a petition containing allegations against the Tahsildar, Alur. No such petition has been received. But a petition dated 1.12.1964 addressed to the Collector containing allegations against the Tahsildar, Adoni has been received and it has been referred to the R.D.O. Kurnool for enquiry and report. Presumably ~~the petition referred to in the telegram~~ Sri K. Venkatarama Rao. B. Venkatarama by his telegram on the reverse refers to that petition. No separate action is therefore called for. May be added on to the CP

Sub:- PUBLIC SERVANTS - Bellary District - Ananthasayanam Naidu (Sri K), Tahsildar, Adoni - Allegations - Enquiry report submitted.

Ref: Your D.O.No.35917 G/52-1 dated 10th June 1952.

The following are the allegations, levelled against Sri K. Ananthasayanam Naidu, Tahsildar, Adoni in the petition received with your D.O. letter cited above.

(1) that the Tahsildar, Adoni disbursed taccavi loan of Rs.5000/- to Sri Krishta Reddy of Basarkodu village for Bunding and other purposes and that the borrower ~~insured~~ the amount after giving the Tahsildar commission at 10% of the loan amount sanctioned.

(2) that the Tahsildar recommended payment of loan to the tune of Rs.30,000/- to one Mr. Venkat of Isvi village on the understanding that the borrower should pay him at 10% of the total loan amount recommended for payment.

(3) that he disbursed a loan of Rs.5000/- to one Mr.Danappa of Kathriki village for repairing a single well though there is no justification for it and received his usual 10% commission.

(4) that he misused 20 bags of rice received from Burma, which was intended for distribution to the lame and blind, by unloading them in his house situated on the Yemmiganur Road.

(5) that he misused sums to the tune of Rs.3150/-, Rs.120/- and Rs.3000/- by preparing false bills of payment for election expenses.

(6) that he has kept 20 heads of cattle at Banavasi village and that they are being maintained by the Village Headman of that village; and that they were also maintained previously by one Krista Reddy.

2. I asked the Revenue Divisional Officer Bellary to examine the connected records, conduct discreet enquiries on the allegations contained in the petition and submit his report on the points raised in your D.O. letter. He has reported that confidential enquiries into the allegations and that the petitioner Sri L. Venkanna could not be contacted, as he has not furnished his address in the petition. However he has enquired the individuals referred to in the petition and has sent a detailed report together with the statements of persons recorded by him. I enclose copies of his reports (1) dated 13.7.52 and (2) L.Dis.No.5287/52 dated 31.7.52 and also the record of enquiry made by him. His reports and the statements of persons enquired by him show that none of the allegations is true. I agree with his conclusions contained in paragraphs 2 and 3 of his report L.Dis.5287/52 dated 31.7.52. I have been in this district for over three months. I have not so far received any complaint or whispers questioning the honesty of Sri K. Ananthasayanam Naidu, Tahsildar of Adoni. On a perusal of his personal file, I find that his honesty was never questioned during his long service except for a vague remark on 20.1.1946 by one of my predecessors Mr. R.D. Paul. I personally believe that the petition might have been engineered by one of his disgruntled subordinates, since many details, which are accessible to one who is in the Taluk Office, have been furnished in the petition. I am,

therefore, of opinion that it is not necessary to cause an enquiry into the allegations by the X-Branch, C.I.D. I send herewith in a sealed cover his personal file for favour of perusal and return.

The petition received with the Government D.O. cited above is resubmitted herewith.

Copy of report dated 13.7.52 of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Bellary.

Sub:- Public servants - (Bellary) Anantasayanam Naidu (Sri K) Tahsildar, Adoni - allegations of corruption - report - submitted.

Ref: Your Ref.C.9012/52 A4 dated 14.6.52.

I submit that I made confidential personal enquiries into the allegations made against Sri K. Ananthasayanam Naidu Tahsildar, Adoni. The petitioner, Sri L. Venkanna could not be contacted and enquired into the allegations made by him as he has not furnished his residential address what so ever. As a true petitioner with facts and figures, he should have furnished his address, to come forward when called on, with the necessary material to prove his allegations His failure to do so appears to make one believe that the petitioner is the out-come of some malice and personal grudge. However, I enquired the concerned individuals mentioned in the petition and their statements have been recorded. The following is a brief summary of my enquiry into the allegations made by the petitioner.

(1) One by name Baichigeri Krista Reddi was sanctioned a loan of Rs.5000/- by the Collector, Bellary in his L.A.32/59 A8 dated 10.6.52 for the construction of a bund. The amount was disbursed to him by the Tahsildar, Adoni on 6.10.51. The time allowed for the completion of the work is one year. The loanee has not yet commenced the construction of the bund. The plea for non-commencement of the work as yet is stated to be due to rains during May 1952. The individual concludes in his statement that he did neither give nor he was asked by the present Tahsildar of Adoni for any illegal gratification.

(2) Sri M.S. Venkat of Adoni applied for a loan of Rs.35,000/- and not Rs.30,000/- as alleged by the petitioner for digging and constructing a well. The application submitted by the Tahsildar, Adoni was returned to him by the Collector, Bellary in his L.A. 303/51 A7 dated 5.6.52 for resubmission with the true translated copies (into english) of the vernacular statements. It is now pending with the Tahsildar, Adoni. After resubmission of the application with the connected papers, the case, if the Collector pleases, may be made subject to personal enquiry and inspection of the land for the improvement of which the loan of Rs.35,000/- has been applied.

He stated in his statement, that there is no understanding or promise what so ever, to the effect that he would pay him some gratification, if the Tahsildar recommends his case. And the present Tahsildar, Adoni is stated to have not rewarded any amount from him. He further adds that he did not give any amount for having recommended his case.

(3) One more allegation of the same type is that one by name Janana Gowd of Kathriki village was alleged to have been paid a sum of Rs.5000/- for repairing a well on unjustifiable grounds. On enquiry, it has come to light that the applicant has not yet been paid the loan amount applied for. I examined the concerned file in this connection. The application is still pending with the Collector the case was recommended by the Tahsildar, Adoni in his L.A.35/52 dated 18.4.52. If the Collector pleases the question of sanctioning a loan in this case may be subject to personal inspection. The applicant states, that he did not give any amount to the present Tahsildar nor he had a mind to give any gratification what so ever, if he has been sanctioned the loan applied for. He further adds that the present Tahsildar Adoni did not demand any gratification for his recommendation of his loan application. I examined the connected files of the above said cases. There appears to be no flaw at any stage which is apt to give room for suspicion in the facts done in his official capacity.

II. It is a fact that the Tahsildar, Aloni was allotted by the Collector, Bellary 20 bags of rice for distribution to the lame and blind. I checked the distribution register maintained in this connection. Rice was distributed once a week and on the day of distribution the closing balances has been struck. I opine that there is no room to any extent, to suspect the distribution of rice or to say that any portion of the quantity of rice allotted has been misused. Rice was distributed at a uniform rate of one seer per head and there is acquittance for each item that was distributed.

III. As regards the misappropriation of election amount through false bills, for the amounts mentioned in the petition no separate bills for those amounts were drawn according to the contingent register.

IV. As regards the maintenance of mid-days meals at Tanavasi by the village munsif of the village, I shall make a surprise visit and offer my remarks in this regard.

V. The statements recorded from the village Officers, Aloni, Sri Christa Reddy of Kachimari, Sri Venkat of Isavi and Sri Veranna Gowda are enclosed. The acquittance roll for rice distribution to the election contingent register will be submitted, if they are found

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Copy of L.Dis.No.5037/52 dated 31.7.52 of the Rev.Divl.Officer, Bellary.

Sub:- PUBLIC SERVANTS - Ananthasayanam Naidu (Sri K) - Tahsildar, Adoni - Certain allegations against him - Further report - submitted.

Ref: This office Re.No.5037/52 dated 13.7.52.

In continuation of my report submitted in this office memo cited above, I submit my further report in the matter as detailed below:-

In connection with the verification of the allegation that the heads of cattle are being maintained by the Tahsildar, Adoni, I visited the village on 25.7.52 and enquired the Village Munsif of the village in the matter. His statement has been recorded and it is herewith enclosed. He states that no cattle, whatsoever belonging to Sri K. Ananthasayanam Naidu, Tahsildar, Adoni, are or were under his maintenance. But it is a fact that one buffaloe, three cows and one calf were entrusted, last year, to one by name Pedari Subba Narasappa of Menavasi village for feeding against some remuneration. I enquired Sri Narasappa also in the matter. He spoke to the fact that he was engaged, last year, by the present Tahsildar (Sri K. Ananthasayanam Naidu) to look after his one buffaloe, three cows and one calf on a monthly remuneration of three seers of Korra for each buffaloe and two seers of Korra for each cow. He further says he used to feed them on the banks of Wards of the village and keep them at his house. The buffaloe is said to have died three months back and the rest taken away by him. Now no cattle belonging to the present Tahsildar are under the care of anybody at the village, in addition. Pedari Subba Narasappa concludes, in his statement that he received his remuneration, in full, from the Tahsildar and that the rate of remuneration received by him is the same as that he takes from the villagers for the work of feeding the cattle. His statement is herewith enclosed for perusal.

2. In conclusion, I submit that I am of opinion that the allegations levelled against the present Tahsildar, Adoni are frivolous far-fetched and unfounded. I further, submit that I had previously no occasion to suspect the interested motive of the petitioner named in my letter.

3. As there is no truth in the allegations made by the petitioner, I submit that no further enquiry into the allegations by the C.I.D. is necessary.

4. The original petition received with your Re.No.9012/52 A4 dated 4.6.52 is herewith submitted.

Statement of Shri K. Vakkia
Karnam of [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

K. Vakkia Murthi
Karnam
Tirumi

Taken down by me, read over
admitted by [illegible] to be correct

[illegible]
29/6/82

Statement of Bachagare Keshavareddy
Baichakari (V)

[illegible]

Taken down by me, Read over &
admitted to be correct

6/7/52

Rep. Deed. Officer

B. Nagi Reddi

Electrical Engineering Department
Electrical Engineering Department

Statement of Shri M. S. Venkat Rao of
Shri M. Muthukrangappa of Adoni

I applied for a loan of Rs 2 5000/- for digging a well & Construction of for irrigating my lands in Adoni village till now I did not receive the amount. The Tahsildar, Adoni enquired about my petition There is no understanding or promise or any thing of that type that I will pay him, if he recommend my case. The Tahsildar did not ask for any money & did not offer him any money for recommending my case

Read over by me. M. Muthukrangappa 2-7-1952

Taken down by me

D. Rao
2/7/52
R. D.

Statement of Sri K. Dakshinamurthy, Karnam of Adoni.

Question:- Is there any person by name L. Venkanna in your Village

Answer:- There is no person by name L. Venkanna in our village.

Read over to me and admitted as correct.

Sd. K. Dakshinamurthy
Karnam Adoni.

Taken down by me read over and admitted by him to be correc

Sd. D. Krishnamurthy
29.6.52
R.D.O. Bellary.

Statement of Sri N. Balamukunda Prasad V.M. of Adoni

Question: Is there any person by name L. Venkanna in your village.

Answer: There is no person by name L. Venkanna in our village.

Read over to me and admitted as correct.

Sd. N. Balamukunda Prasad
V.M. Adoni
29.6.52.

Taken down by me and read over and admitted to be correct

Sd. D. Krishnamurthy
29.6.52

R.D.O. Bellary.

Statement of Baichageri Krista Reddy of Baichageri village.

I had taken a loan of Rs.5000/- from Government to construct a stone bund to my land. This amount was taken by me some six months back. There is yet time allowed to me to complete construction of the stone bund. As there were heavy rains in the month of May I did not commence the work Soon after the rainy season is over I will commence the work For the amount I have borrowed from the Government I have not given any amount to the present Tahsildar of Adoni. He never asked me and I did not give him.

Read over to me and admitted as correct.

Sd. Baichageri Krista Reddi

Taken down by me, read over and admitted to be correct.

Sd. D. Krishnamurthy
6.7.52
R.D.O. Bellary.

Statement of Begari Dubba Narappa of Banavasi.

One year back the Tahsildar Adoni has left with me o Baffaloe, three cows and one ox for rearing them after fixing the cooly at the rate of 3 seers of korra per month for one baffaloe and two seers of korra per month for one cow. I used to allow them to graze in Vanka porambokes and hilly tracts and keep them infront of my house during night times. Three months back the buffaloe died and the Tahsildar took away the remaining four cattle from me. He paid me the wages. I also rear the cattle of my village in this way even now.

Read over to me and admitted to be correct.

L.T.M. of Begari
Dubba Narasappa.

Taken by me read over and admitted to be correct.

Sd. D.Krishnamurthy
25.7.52
R.D.O. Bellary.

English translation of the Telugu Statement on P 15 Auth- 91

Statement of Sri B. Nagi reddy V.M. of Banavasi dated 25.7.52.

The cattle belonging to Sri K. Anantasayanam Naidu, Tahsildar Adoni are not with me. Last year he left his three cows, one ox and one she-buffaloe with Dubba Narasappa of our village after settling with him the wages for rearing the cattle. I do not know the terms of settlement. He is rearing all the cattle of the village on cooly. He grazes the cattle in waste lands, porambokes and hilly tracts, takes the cattle-dung etc. himself for his own use. I have ten bullocks, ten she buffaloes and cows. I do not know whether the Tahsildar has given the wages to Begari Dubba Narasappa. I have not given any thing to him. There is no person by name Krista Reddy in our village. Out of the five cattle belonging to the Tahsildar one she-buffaloe died three months ago and the remaining four were taken away by the Tahsildar from our village

Read over to me and admitted as correct.

Sd. B. Nagi Reddy

Statement of Hiregowdra Danana Gowd son of Here Hiripana Gowd Kathriki.

I have applied for a loan of Rs.5000/-. I have not be paid the amount so far. The Tahsildar came to my village and inspected the well. I have not paid any amount to the Tahsil Adoni in this connection. Even after receiving the loan amou I have not thought of paying him anything. The Tahsildar als did not ask me to pay him any money.

Read over to me and admitted to be correct.

Sd. Danana Gowd

Taken down by me read over and admitted by him to be correct.

Sd. D. Krishnamurthy
30.6.52

Rev.Divl.Officer Bellary.

Revenue Department.

D.O.No.35917-G/52-4 dated 2-10.1952.

Public Servants - (Bellary) - Anantasayanam Naidu Sri K. - Tahsildar - Adoni - Allegations.

Ref D.O.No.35917-G/52-1,Revenue,d/10.6.1952.
Your D.O.No.9012/52-A.4(C),d/16.8.1952.

I am to state that in the circumstances reported by you, the Govt. agree that no investigation by the X-Branch, C.I.D. is called for in this case. I am however to add that the enquiry should not have been entrusted to the R.D.C. when you were specifically asked to report after making such discreet enquiries as you deemed fit without informing anybody else about the petition or the purpose for which the information was called for/~~were~~ required.

Public Servants (Bellary) - Sri Anantasayanam Nayudu - Tahsildar Adoni - Allegations

From Sri K. Hanumanna, petition dt 30.5.52

To Ac

Please see the petition in the CF. It contains specific allegations against Sri Anantasayanam Nayudu, Tahsildar, Adoni, Bellary Dt. For orders whether the petition may be sent to the Collector of Bellary for enquiry and report in the first instance. Subject to orders a Draft D.o is submitted for approval.

dy 7.6.52

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Issued as Do No. 35917 R/52-1 dt 9.6.52 from the Collector of Bellary Do. 2012/52-A & CC dt 16-8-52.

Rev Dept

To Ar

The file deals with allegations against Sri K. Anantasayanam Nayudu, Tahsildar, Adoni, Bellary Dt. The petition containing allegations on p 1 CF and the Collector's report on p 7 CF and the enclosures to it on pp 9-22 CF may be read. The Revenue Divisional Officer, Bellary, who enquired into the allegations states that there is no truth in the allegations made, and that there was no occasion

previously to suspect the integrity of the Tahsildar. The Director of Bellary agrees with the Revenue Divisional officer and states that it is not necessary to cause an ~~enquiry~~ to be made enquiry into the allegations by the X Branch C.I.D. In the circumstances stated by the Director in his D.O dupp 7.8.52, it is for orders whether any further action will be considered necessary or whether the ~~file~~ papers may be recorded. The personal file of the officer is put up at (E)

Coll may however be told that he shd not have entrusted the enquiry to the R.D.O

23/9/52

Rev Dn

with reference to the order ~~circulation~~, above a draft ~~D.O~~ is submitted for approval.
It does not seem necessary that C.S shd see before

23/9/52

C.S. may see before

23/9/52

To AS.

The d.o. below may now issue

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